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DESPITE GALLANT

Halted Capture of Riga

Seems Imminent.

THE PERIL OF ISQLATION

New Drive by Gen. von Mackensen

Is Cause of Apprehension

in Petrograd.

paign in Poland Covers

the Period Since

May 2.

BERLIN, September 1,

via London, 3:55 p.m.-Ger-

man troops fighting for

Grodno are now in front of

the outer line of the forts of

that stronghold, according

to today's official statement

from German army head-

ward, but not with the same speed

of Bavaria and Field Marshal von Hin-

denburg's southern wing to cut off the

Russian troops still clinging to Vilna

and Grodno," says the Petrograd cor-

respondent of the Times. "The na-

sian task of regrouping in new posi-

Mackensen's army against the trunk

Russians Take 3,000 Prisoners.

September 1.-Successful Russian coun-

Stripa river district, eastern Galicia,

estimated to comprise five

the advance in this direction.

ment given out here tonight.

Austrian and German army corps.

Enormous Russian Losses.

here today by the Overseas News

men in killed, wounded and captured.

The announcement from the Over

Russ Armies Annihilated.

were first attacked at the beginning of the Austro-German offensive move-

ment have been annihilated and their

losses made up by withdrawing troops

from other regions, especially forces which were ready to invade Turkey, "Garrisons of half-drilled men were

hurriedly transported to the front from

Russians were fruitless, however, They

were driven out of Galicia, Poland Courland and Lithuania. They were rolled backward in two separate groups. Two fortresses, among then four large and modern ones, which formed the Russian and inner lines of

defense, are in the hands of the Ger-mans and Austrians. This is the result of a campaign of less than four

Vivian Nickalls a British Officer.

NEW YORK, September 1 -- Vivian

Nickalls, who resigned as rowing coach of the University of Pennsylvania to return and fight for England, has, ac-

cording to advices received from Lo.

don, received a probationary appointment as second lieutenant in the roya

field artillery. Nickalls returned to England immediately after the close of

he college rowing season last spring

interior fortresses. All efforts of th

"Thus it is evident that armies which

The new movement of Gen. von

ARMY IN GALICIA FACING

reau Chiefs and Confers With Unless von Hindenburg Can Be President Wilson.

ON NAVY MEASURES

SENATOR IS NOT OPPOSED TO REASONABLE INCREASE

Will Be Carried Through About as Proposed.

Senator Ben Tillman of South Caro lina, chairman of the Senate committee ton for the purpose of gathering all the data available concerning appropria-LOSSES BEYOND A MILLION tions and measures generally for the upbuilding of the navy at the coming Official Berlin Review of the Camculating through the Navy Department ferred for a long time with President Wilson on the purpose of the President to push before Congress legislation ooking to a betterment of the national defenses in all quarters.

from German army headquarters.

LONDON, September 1, 11:45
a.m.—Germany's plan for driving three wedges into the Russian deiensive lines is being carried forword but not with the came speed.

First of Several Conferences.

as marked the sweep over Poland. The conference with Senator Tillman Riga is almost isolated, and un- is the first of a number President Willess the Russians soon throw of Congress concerning naval and army

of the forces supporting the administration on this problem, democrats and republicans alike, and the propositions will become law very much as proposed from the White House, it is believed.

is owned by a big British syndicate terview with Baron Hayashi, Japanes Brown Potter and the banking firm and the estate have a claim of millions of dollars against the White House, it is believed. The Russian rear guards are makng a desperate resistance to the efforts of the forces of Prince Leopold the

Intention to Cut Expenses.

Intimations from official sources today were that it will be the purpose of the administration, while seeking enlargement of the army and pavy, to cut down exture of the terrain facilitates the Rus- of the army and navy, to cut down ex-Mackensen's army against the trunk necessary appropriations will be sought line between Kovel and Kiev, which in order to cut down the total appropriations. might isolate the Russian troops in ations

Salicia, is regarded seriously in Petrograd, but the broken and woody nature of the ground is expected to retard PETROGRAD, August 31, via London, ter attacks on a wide front in the

are reported in a Russian official state-Say President Favors Bigger Army. relations with Germany Officials of the National Security
League, with headquarters in New
York, are authority for the statement

League, With headquarters in New
Western Security Lansing today and with Leon
J. Canova, chief of the division of Russians claim to have captured 3.000 prisoners, thirty cannon and thir-ty-four machine guns. The Russian success was obtained against the army of Gen. Pflanzer, York, are authority for the statement paredness contemplates a standing army of 300,000 men. This league will conduct a campaign in November and BERLIN, September 1, by wireless to

Sayville, N. Y .- An official review of the eastern campaign, as given out CARDINAL TO SEE PRESIDENT. Agency, estimates that since May 2 the Conference Tomorrow, But Its Object Russians have lost at least 1,100,000 Is Not Made Known.

Cardinal Gibbons made an engagement today for a conference with President Wil-"General army headquarters publishes a review of the results of offensive movements in Poland, Russia, since May 2. Beginning with the battle at Gorlice, the headquarters estimates the strength of the Russian troops which were then directly engaged in that direction was about 1,400,000. In the fighting since May 2 1,100,000 have been killed, injured or captured. This is a very conservative estimate. The actual figures are surely much higher, because the Russians saved artillery by recklessly sacrificing their infantry. "General army headquarters publishes number of conferences with men interested n restoring peace in Mexico

Starting September Right

Washington merchants vesterday used over 5,000 lines more space in The Star to tell of their bargains the first of the month than all of the other three papers combined.

The Evening Star ... 19,827 The 2d Newspaper 7,110 The 3d Newspaper 3,937 The 4th Newspaper ... 3,013 Total 3 combined ... 14,060

In the minds of the live merchants selling goods and advertising in The Star are synonymous terms.

TEUTONS PRESS ON TILLMAN GETS DATA PROVES PREDICTED **HUERTISTA RAIDS**

RUSS RESISTANCE South Carolinian Visits Bu- Killing of Four Cientifico Generals Emphasizes Need of Border Reinforcements.

> LUIS CABRERA PLANNING TO ELECT GEN. OBREGON

White House Anticipates Program Deserts Carranza and Is Forming New Group to Choose Mexican President.

Confirmation of the killing of the Huertista generals, Orozco, Sandoval, Terazas and Delgado, by civilians, customhouse officers and soldiers of the 13th United States Cavalry in Texas vesterday in a battle following a raid on a other officials. This afternoon he con- ranch, is pointed to in Washington today as confirmation of recent reports that there would be organized raids against United Calling at the White House in the morning. Senator Tillman said that he would stand for a "reasonable, ade-quate increase in both army and navy," and that whatever President Wilson recommended to Congress he would advocate, "not because he is President Wilson, but because he is a statesman and knows what is best for the country by reason of the information he has from light to reiniorce United States States border citizens, inspired by reason of the information he has from all directions."

Senator Tillman has been to the Pacific coast, looking over govern the request of Gen. Funston, Secretary Garrison last night sent two regiments of infantry and one of cavalry to various points.

Further details were received in affection from the ranks of Gen. Carson will have with heads of committees the Russians soon throw heavy forces against von Hindenburg's exposed flank this port must fall into the hands of the invaders.

Although this northerly attack seems to have been checked for the moment, the Russians have been unable to develop a counter offensive in that region comparable with their activities in East Galicia, where on the River Stripa they have not only turned at bay, but have inflicted large losses on their opponents.

Son will have with heads of committees which heads and army increases, but these conferences will not definite consideration for the deading a newly formed now to be leading a newly formed subject to return to Mexico. He is said now to be leading a newly formed subject to return to Mexico. He is said now to be leading a newly formed subject to definite consideration of the administration program until the President has before him the activities and panels, who are working for complete their plans. When the President has tentatively agreed upon a program he will consult with committee heads and democratic leading to seem unable to develop a counter offensive in that region comparable with their activities in East Galicia, where on the River Stripa they have not only turned at bay, but have inflicted large losses on their opponents.

Offer Desperate Resistance.

The Russian rear guards are maken the program of the program o

Obregon Party Expected.

A year ago, when Carranza entered Mexico City, Mr. Cabrera is said to have of the army and navy, to cut down expenditures at useless army posts and navy yards, thereby eradicating some of the "pork barrel" features of past appropriations. Rigid weeding out of unnecessary appropriations will be sought in order to cut down the total appropriations will be sought will not commit himself to an expenditure of \$500,000,000 for army and navy increases, but will back a program that goes far enough to put the country on a stronger defensive basis than it has ever been before. By eliminating logrolling methods for appropriations, if that can be done, the expenditures for the proposed increases will bardly be felt, it is claimed in some quarters of the administration.

Say President Favors Rigger A.

Mexican affairs. Carranza Still Silent.

Gen. Carranza's response to the panconduct a campaign in November and December for the purpose of influencing Congress to back up the program long delay has given rise to two views. Some officials believe influences at induce Carranza to enter a work to induce Carranza to enter a peace conference are having favorable effect. Some others believe Carranza has determined not to answer the ap-peal at all. No official advices have been received. Maj. Gen. Hugh L. Scott, chief of staff

Maj. Gen. Hugh L. Scott, chief of staff of the army, who has recently returned from El Paso, where he conferred with Villa and other Mexican leaders, yesterday had a conference with President Wilson in which he told him at first hand of what he had found as to conditions on the border. Gen. Scott told the President that the pan-American peace appeal had been favorably received through the territory controlled by the Villa army.

mats there are preparing to set up de facto relations with Carranza upon the

emergency exists at this time so far as he knows. The movements of the troops, he said, were part of a general pian evolved by Gen. Funston for strengthening his positions. The 4th infantry and 6th Cavairy are to go to Harlingen, Tex.; two battalions of the 19th Infantry to Fort Sam Houston and the 2d Battalion of the 19th Infantry to Del Rio, Tex.

Roberto Pesqueira, formerly Washington representative of the Carranza government, have split with Carranza over his attitude toward the A. B. C. peace conference plan, according to a report received by Villa officials today.

They had urged Carranza to an acceptance of the A. B. C. plan, it was said.

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JAPANESE MAY AID ALLIES IN FIGHT AT DARDANELLES

Constantinople Reports British Losses Since August 6 as in Excess of 50,000 Men.

PARIS, September 1.-What appears Sayville, N. Y .- The British employed o be an intimation that Japan might 100,000 men in their attacks on Turkish the Hamburg-American and North co-operate in the campaign to force positions on the Gallipoli peninsula last tied up at Hoboken since the declaraambassador to Italy, sent to the Petit Frankfurter Zeitung, and their losses

"I cannot say much about that," the haron is quot-d as saying in reply to since August 6 the British losses have a question re arding the Dardanelles, "for we must not allow our enemies to profit by information about the move-

ments of troops." Japan Doing Her Share.

in the war, the ambassador said: with our allies to the extent assigned pletely wiped out. The dispatch conto us. The world will be astonished linues: when it knows what we have done, what we are doing and what we are the fall of Warsaw and other Russian willing to do. The Russians are near- fortresses. They had been told that willing to do. The Russians are nearest to us, and we can be most useful
to them. Rest assured it is the greatest
to them. Rest assured it is the greatest
to them assist every day in

a junction with the British. In con-

British Losses Enormous.

were extremely heavy.

The correspondent estimates that been in excess of 50,630.

Many Officers Killed

According to the correspondent the killed among the British troops in the Discussing the part Japan has played | fighting of August 28 and August 29 included about 600 officers. A cavalry "We have not ceased to collaborate division, he declared, was almost com-

"British prisoners knew nothing paign, many British soldiers now voi-BERLIN, September 1, by wireless to untarily surrender themselves."

SERBIA NOW READY TO YIELD TO THE DEMANDS OF BULGARIA

PARIS. September 1.—The Serbian government has informed Greece that it intends to comply with the requests of the quadruple large portions of near eastern territory. If the decision comes, however, Premier Venizelos will have the undivided support of the king, country and army leaders, for he already has exacted the most binding assurances to this effect." entente concerning the concessions demanded by Bulgaria, says Times emphasizes the necesity for a

Task a Difficult One.

LONDON. September 1.—The Balkan situation is discussed at length in dispatches to the morning papers from Bucharest, Sofia and Athens. Although the correspondents generally are optimistic, emphasis is placed on the difficulties which the diplomats of the quadculties which the diplomats of the quadculties which the diplomats of the quadculties entent powers are encountering to the content of the conte patches to the morning papers from Bucharest, Sofia and Athens. Although atter's arrival in the old capital. He so now said to be on his way there. Sone of the representatives of foreign the depends and disarm the mutual susgovernments accredited to Mexico City ing demands and disarm the mutual sus-

governments accredited to Mexico City accompanied Carfanza when he moved his so-called government to Vera Cruz. Conditions in Mexico as to food shortages are still bad.

Reinforces Gen. Funston.

In sending additional troops to the border, Secretary Garrison said that no emergency exists at this time so far as he knows. The movements of the conded territory, through which the

The Standard's Athens representative believes no definite developments in the Balkan situation can be expected in the immediate future. The negotiations which must be concluded before any one of the Balkan countries can intervene in the war are protected and troublesome, he says, woing to the great difficulty of hapmonizing the conflicting interests. Scribar is willing to go a long way toward meeting Bulgarian requirements, but even here there seems still some obstacle to a complete agreement concerning the participation of the Bulkan situation can be expected in the immediate future. The negotiations which must be concluded before any one of the Balkan countries can intervene in the war are protected and troublesome, he says, woing to the great difficulty of hapmonizing the conflicting interests. Serbia is willing to go a long way toward meeting Bulgarian requirements, but even here there seems still some obstacle to a complete agreement concerning the participation of the Bulkan situation can be expected in the immediate future. The negotiations which must be concluded before any one of the Balkan countries can intervene in the war are protected and troublesome, he says, woing to the great difficulty of hapmonizing the conflicting interests. Serbia is willing to go a long way toward meeting Bulgarian requirements, but even here there seems still some obstacle to a complete agreement concerning the participation of the Bulkan situation can be expected in the immediate future. The negotiations which must be concluded in the immediate future. The negotiations which must be concluded in the immediate future. The negotiations which must be concluded in the immediate future. The negotiations which must be concluded in the immediate future. The negotiations which must be concluded in the immediate future. The negotiations which must be concluded in the immediate future. The negotiations which must be concluded in the immediate future. The negotiations which must be concluded in the immediate future. The negotiations

The Bucharest correspondent of the

Presi- an Athens dispatch to the Matin. better understanding between Rumania

HIS FRIENDS ALARMED.

e sent a telegram engaging cooms Brooklyn hotel, but he never appea

Harry Thaw Sues for Divorce.

F. J. Van Siclen of Yakima, Wash.,

Mysteriously Disappears. NEW YORK, September 1.-The police today sent a general alarm throughout the city for F. J. Van Sic-MR. McADOO IS CONTENT. Has No Thought of Running for the

Governorship of New York.

Harry Inaw Sues for Divorce,
PITTSEURGH, September 1.—Harry
T. Thaw, through his attorneys, Stone
Stone, this afternoon filed a petition
of common pleas court, asking a discovered from his wife, Evelyn Neshit
Thaw, charging misoonduct with a of the Treasury Department, it is mission of the German point of view. Having on two preceding occasions are general good there and be of more service to President Wilson than in any other position. It is believed by friends of Mr. McAdoo that if President Wilson the Wilson that if Wilson the Wilson the Wilson that if Wilson the Wilson the Wilson the Wilson that if Wilson the Wilson the Wilson that if Wilson the Wilson the Wilson that if Wilson the Wilson t vorce from his wife, Evelyn Neshit Thaw, charging misconduct with a White House he will rem

LINERS QUARANTINED AS CHOLERA IS FEARED

Fifteen Persons on German Ship, Interned at Hoboken,

NEW YORK, September 1.-All of that fifteen men aboard the Hamburg-American liner President mccoln were suffering from an illness the symp-

cholera The President Lincoln was placed under quarantine yesterday when susfollowing bacteriological examinations by municipal and government health

Cholera's Presence Not Admitted.

Dr. Joseph F. Stack, Hoboken health the United States in the submarine amination had proved the cases aboard

"worth while."
The President Lincoln is one of the to them. Rest assured it is the greatest to them. The greatest to them. The greatest to them the greatest to them. The greatest to the greatest to them. The greatest to are on their way back to Germany. It was believed that the germs of the disease, whatever it may be, were brought here by some of those refugees. At present thirty-seven German subjects from the far east are on board besides some 150 members of the

> Orders Inspection. When the situation was reported to

Surgeon-General Rupert Blue at Washington, he authorized an inspection of the President Lincoln and ordered On account of reports of cholera in Austro-Hungary and Germany and in the far east, the health authorities here have been taking precautions to prevent the entrance of this disease. They believed, however, that if the cases aboard the President Lincoln preceding to be cholera they were important.

coln Suffering From Food Poisoning. their lives on the Lusitania, the Arabic liner President Lincoln, laid up at

war, has turned out to be nothing more

cratic nomination for Governor of New order in many cities have joined in the search. When Van Siclen left Yakima York and dispatches from New York are described by those close to him as containing "pure bunk." Friends of l the Secretary are said to be preparing a boom for him for the governorship. in common pleas court, asking a di-

NOT TO SINK "LINERS" WITHOUT A WARNING Letter From Ambassador Von Bern-

storff Regarded as Full Accept-

ance of American Contention

GERMANY PLEDGES U.S.

Count von Bernstorff, the German ambassador, today called on Secretary Lansing at the State Department, on instructions from Berlin, and informed the United States government that the German government has accepted the principle that passenger liners shall be

warned before attack by submarines. The ambassador's conference with Secretary Lansing lasted about fifteen minutes, and followed a conference which President Wilson and Secretary Lansing had earlier in the day at the White House, in which, it is presumed, the Secretary informed the President of what the ambassador intended to say

LETTER FROM GERMAN AMBASSADOR.

After his conference Ambassador von Bernstorff sent Mr. Lansing this letter:

My Dear Mr. Secretary:

With reference to our conversation of this morning, I beg to inform you that my instructions concerning our answer to your last Lusitania note contain the following

"Liners will not be sunk by our submarines without warning and without safety of the lives of non-combatants, provided that the liners do not try to escape or offer resist-

Although I know that you do not wish to discuss the Lusitania question till the Arabic incident has been definitely and satisfactorily settled, I desire to inform you of the above because this policy of my government was decided on before the Arabic incident occurred.

I have no objection to your making any use you may

please of the above information. I remain, my dear Mr. Lansing,

Statement by Mr. Lansing.

Agrees With Berlin Reports.

the policy had been decided upon be-

fore the sinking of the Arabic agrees

perfectly with statements by officials

in Berlin and with information upon

which American officials had been de-

son understood there would not be an-

other such disaster. The sinking of the

Arabic, therefore, came as a double

Inasmuch as there seems a strong

by Mr. Lansing that the United States

could not accept as final an oral trans-

tended.

Very sincerely yours,

J. BERNSTORFF.

make any comment in regard to it, other than to say that it appears to be a recognition of the fundamental principle for which we have contained as meaning all non-combatant passenger ships.

Covers American Contention

At the State Department the German forwarded to President Wilson as soon ambassador's letter was considered a tended quarantine was geclared today as it was received at the State Depart- covering all the American government ment. The President appeared greatly has contended for-that peaceful me chantmen must not be sunk without warning or without visit and search In effect, the letter means that Gerand opportunity for non-combatants to

many has accepted the declarations of escape.

It is generally acknowledged that in the Uniter the United States in the submarine warfare controversy. On every hand the President Lincoln to be cholera, in official quarters there was evidence. He added that early prevention was of gratification that the submarine with neutral trade. The President has of gratification that the submarine crisis has passed and that Germany has acknowledged the justice of the principles for which President Wilson has been contending.

Agrees With Berlin Reports. Agrees With Berlin Reports.

Count Bernstorff's announcement that the restrictions imposed by the orders in council, is almost ready to go for ward to London.

No statement was issued from the White House, but distinct elation was Soon after the dispatch of felt there over what was deemed the last Lusitania note President Wil-practical settlement of the differences between the United States and Ger many. Senator James Hamilton Lewis of Illinois, who called at the White House, voiced the feeling of friends of Inasmuch as there seems a strong the administration. He said that he probability that the submarine which sunk the Arabic has been destroyed by letter and had talked with Chief Justine.

Austro-Hungary and Germany and is the far east, the health authorities here have been taking precautions to stances may never be determined, other than by testimony from British and American sources.

Reparation Next Step.

The German government's Attement that before the sinking of the Arabic has been ordered to sink no more passenger ships without warning may be taken as a disavowal of that act. The question of the course he prisedent Lincoln, laid up at loboken since the beginning of the ar, has turned out to be nothing more and food poisoning. Surgeon General her food poisoning. Surgeon General her food poisoning. Surgeon General her ship were in no danger.

Paves Way for Negotiations. The immediate effect of the communi-

Secretary Lansing and the ambas-sider discussed at length the signifi-cance of the oral statement before the written one was made. Acceptance of the principle that passenger snips are not to be attacked without warning was considered as an answer to Presi-dent Wilson's last note on the Lusi-tania, and it established clearly that Germany has yielded to the representa-tions of this government respecting Secretary Lansing is to open the way for a resumption of negotiations be tween the governments of the United Secretary McAdoo has no thought of becoming a candidate for the demoeratic nomination for Governor of New out a statement as to the conference, reports on the sinking of the Arabic but himself refused to discuss his visit, and the loss of American lives thereby the State Department had decided tha Asked a Written Statement.

Count von Bernstorff was informed by Mr. Lansing that the United States could not accept as final an oral trans-